

*Grafton
Celebrates
the
Holidays*



Sunday, December 2, 2012

Craft Fair

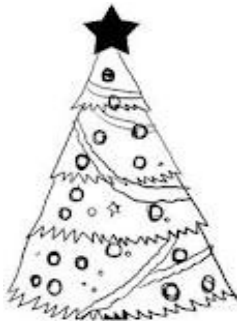
10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Holiday Events

12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Tree Lighting & Sing-Along

4:30 p.m.



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Grafton Suburban Credit Union

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Farnumsville Fire House
Grafton Girl Scouts Troop 30217
Pecorino Country Cheese Shop
Peking Garden
Stir Crazy Coffee and Sweets

Holiday Extravaganza

Celebrate the Holidays in Grafton and enjoy family fun at participating businesses, churches and organizations. Look for the Snow Bear logo!

Frosty Stop #1

Houlden Farm

139 Old Westborough Road, North Grafton

The kids will enjoy visiting the **Snowman's Wonderland** while parents shop for Christmas trees, wreaths, roping and made-to-order cemetery baskets from 12:00 to 4:00 at **Houlden Farm**.

Frosty Stop #2

Willard House and Clock Museum

11 Willard Street, North Grafton

Step back in time and enjoy a cup of tea at **Willard House**, browse in the Gift Shop, and tour the historic house and galleries decorated for the holidays from 12:00 to 4:00.

Frosty Stop #3

Tufts Veterinary Medicine School

100 Westborough Rd., North Grafton

Join **Tufts School of Veterinary Medicine** faculty, staff and students at our **Working Farm** on Jumbo's Path from 11:30 to 2:00. Listen to carols, see a menagerie of animals, and enjoy cider, cookies and holiday cheer!

Frosty Stop #4

Anzio's Brick Oven Pizza

Pecorino Country Cheese Shop

135 Westborough Rd., North Grafton

Great cheese pizza slices will be available for \$1.50 from 12:00 to 3:00 at **Anzio's**.

Enjoy festive holiday shopping from 12:00 to 4:00 at **Pecorino Country Cheese Shop**.

Frosty Stop #5

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church

53 North Main St., North Grafton

Stop by **St. Andrew's Church** from 12:00 to 3:30 and vote in the **Gingerbread House Contest** and participate in the Cookie Walk. Children will enjoy storytelling, popcorn and drinks.

Frosty Stop #6

North Grafton Methodist Church

10 Overlook Street, North Grafton

The **Methodist Church** will have gourmet cupcakes and a muffin walk from 12:00 to 3:00. Kids can decorate their own cup cake.

Frosty Stop #7

Spirit of Wellness

Floral Elegance

Wellesley Therapeutics

202-204 Worcester Street

North Grafton

Please join us at **Floral Elegance** for food, fun and festive florals! Children will receive a free flower. Enter to win a holiday floral-\$150 value.

Kids can make a pine cone bird feeder while adults enjoy a chair massage, warm oil hand massage & skin analysis at **Spirit of Wellness**. Gift certificate and product specials; Christmas cookies and cider will be served.

Visit **Wellesley Therapeutics** for an Open House from 12:00 to 3:00.

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Frosty Stop #7A

Gourmet Creations

7 Williams Rd., North Grafton

Enjoy the Open House at **Gourmet Creations** from 12:00 to 4:00 and children will have fun decorating gingerbread kids!

Frosty Stop #8

Brigham Hill Community Barn

37 Wheeler Road, North Grafton

Have fun making s'mores on an outdoor fire after a **horse-drawn wagon ride**! Join us for some good old-fashioned holiday fun including music, refreshments, activities and exhibits from some of Grafton's non-profit organizations, including: **Community Harvest Project, Grafton Land Trust, Grafton Shakespeare Club** and **Grafton Garden Club**.

Frosty Stop #9

Country Plaza Shopping Center

Citizens Bank

Subway of Grafton

Savers Bank

100 Worcester Street

North Grafton

Kids will have fun making a holiday craft at **Citizens Bank**.

Visit **Subway of Grafton** and enjoy a free cookie!

Visit Santa's Workshop at **Savers Bank** for: cider & hot chocolate; cookie decorating; fingernail polishing; & pipe cleaner ornaments.

See, pet and feed the animals & ride the camel at the **petting zoo**!

Frosty Stop #10

Pepperoni Express

92 Worcester Street, North Grafton

Kids under 12 will enjoy one free slice of pizza at **Pepperoni Express**.

Frosty Stop #11

Santa's Village at

Grafton Suburban Credit Union

86 Worcester St., North Grafton

Santa is stopping by the **Grafton Suburban Credit Union** from noon until 3:30. Get a **free photo with Santa**, along with a gift for boys and girls. Light refreshments. *Drop off site for Toys for Local Kids.*

Frosty Stop #12

Stir Crazy Coffee & Sweets

Studio 79 Hair Design

79 Worcester St., North Grafton

Stop by **Stir Crazy** for free coffee, hot chocolate and pastries!

Enjoy hair braiding with beads, nail polishing and a Chinese auction with 250 prizes at **Studio 79**! Register to win a gift basket.

Frosty Stop #13

Grafton Police Station

28 Providence Road, Grafton

Tour the **Grafton Police Station**, enjoy refreshments and meet with department members from 11:00 to 2:00. Children will receive free badges & coloring books, and will be able to meet **McGruff the Crime Dog**. Pick up a free **Child ID kit**. Adults will receive free gun locks.

Frosty Stop #14

Grafton Municipal Center

Holiday Craft Fair & Lunch

30 Providence Road, Grafton

Visit the **Craft Fair** in the **Grafton Municipal Center Gymnasium** for soup and sandwiches, and for the best artisans and crafters from 10:00 to 3:00. *Drop-off site for Toys for Local Kids, One Warm Coat donations and non-perishable food for the Grafton Food Bank.*

Frosty Stop #15

Grafton Center Fire Station

26 Upton Street, Grafton

The kids will enjoy refreshments, tours of the **Center Fire Station** and can drop off letters to Santa in an official North Pole Mail Box!

Frosty Stop #16

Wong's Chinese Restaurant

62 Upton Street, Grafton

Join the friendly staff at **Wong's Chinese Restaurant** for free samples of appetizers and some of their special Chinese dishes.

Frosty Stop #17

Gibson Kennels

139 Upton Street, Grafton

Visit **Gibson Kennels** for **Pet Photos with Santa** day from 12:00 to 4:00. All proceeds from this event will benefit Dog Orphans in Douglas, Mass., a non-profit no-kill shelter. Treats and drinks for all.

Frosty Stop #18

Silver Spruce Montessori School

44 Old Upton Road, Grafton

Tour our historic house transformed into a place of learning. Sit, relax and enjoy making Christmas books at **Silver Spruce**. Enter a raffle for one month's tuition.

Frosty Stop #19

Hillside Meadows Equestrian Center

111 George Hill Road, Grafton

Tour the farm and the kids can take a picture with one of the well-mannered lesson horses (bring your own camera) at **Hillside Meadows Equestrian Center**.

Frosty Stop #20

Grafton Flea Market

296 Upton Street, Grafton

Join us at the **Grafton Flea Market** from 6:00 to 4:00 every Sunday in December!

Frosty Stop #21

Brookmeadow Crossing

Millbury Federal Credit Union

377 Providence Rd., South Grafton

Children can pet and feed the **Angel Hair Alpacas** at Brookmeadow Crossing shopping center!

Enjoy a few moments to sit back and relax with refreshments and coffee at **Millbury Federal Credit Union** from 12:00 to 4:00. Children can color and enter various raffles. Don't miss the free **magic show** from 1:00 to 3:00 by Fran the Magician.

Frosty Stop #22

Grafton Community Television

296 Providence Rd., South Grafton

Stop by the Open House at **Grafton Community Television** from 1:00 to 4:00 for refreshments and studio tours. Bring your own DVD to make a 5-minute holiday video message for loved ones in the military.

Frosty Stop #23

Farnumsville Fire House

1A Main Street, South Grafton

Visit the Victorian-era furnished **Farnumsville Fire House** and see the restored pumper truck, *The Emporer*, from 12:00 to 3:00. Refreshments will be served.

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Frosty Stop #24

Mill Villages Park

61 Main Street, South Grafton

Watch the live **ice sculpture** demonstration from 1:00 to 3:00 in the pavilion at **Mill Villages Park**.

Frosty Stop #25

Grafton Thrift Shop

71 Main Street, South Grafton

Children will receive a free book or toy and will enjoy punch & cookies while parents shop at the **Grafton Thrift Shop** from 12:00 to 2:00.

Frosty Stop #26

The Saddle Shed

237 Providence Road, South Grafton

Free book signing by author Cheryl Anne Lampshire.

Frosty Stop #27

Grafton Common Historic District

See dozens of fabulous nativity sets from around the world in a crèche display & enjoy hot coffee and cocoa at the **Baptist Church**.

The **Grafton Public Library** is hosting musician David Polansky for a family sing-along of holiday favorites at 3:00. Kids will also enjoy making a craft project.

Stop by the **Grafton Inn** and enter a raffle to win a free night's stay at the Inn!

Tour the **Grafton & Upton Railroad Company caboose** (located behind the Grafton Inn); free railroad whistles to the first 100 kids!

Visit the **Unitarian Universalist Society** for: *Polar Express* reading at 12:30 and 3:30 with free gift and cocoa for kids; chili, chowder hot dogs and apple crisp from 12:00 to 4:30; selling decorated wreath and gently used toy sale. Raffle for a Kindle Fire.

Frosty Stop #27 - CONTINUED

Grafton Common Historic District

Stop by the **Grafton Center Playschool** for some reindeer food.

Visit **Apple Tree Arts** and enjoy refreshments and music by ATA students from 12:00 to 2:00.

Stop by **Joe's Barber Shop** to enjoy treats and enter a raffle for free haircuts.

The **Grafton Country Store** welcomes "Frosty the Snowman" live from 11:00 to 2:00. Kids will receive a special Frosty surprise! Enter to win a free gift. *Drop-off site for non-perishable food for the Grafton Food Bank.*

Visit **Blackington Furniture** for a holiday workshop, and enjoy hot cider and a craft for kids in our showroom of custom furniture made of 200 year old antique wood.

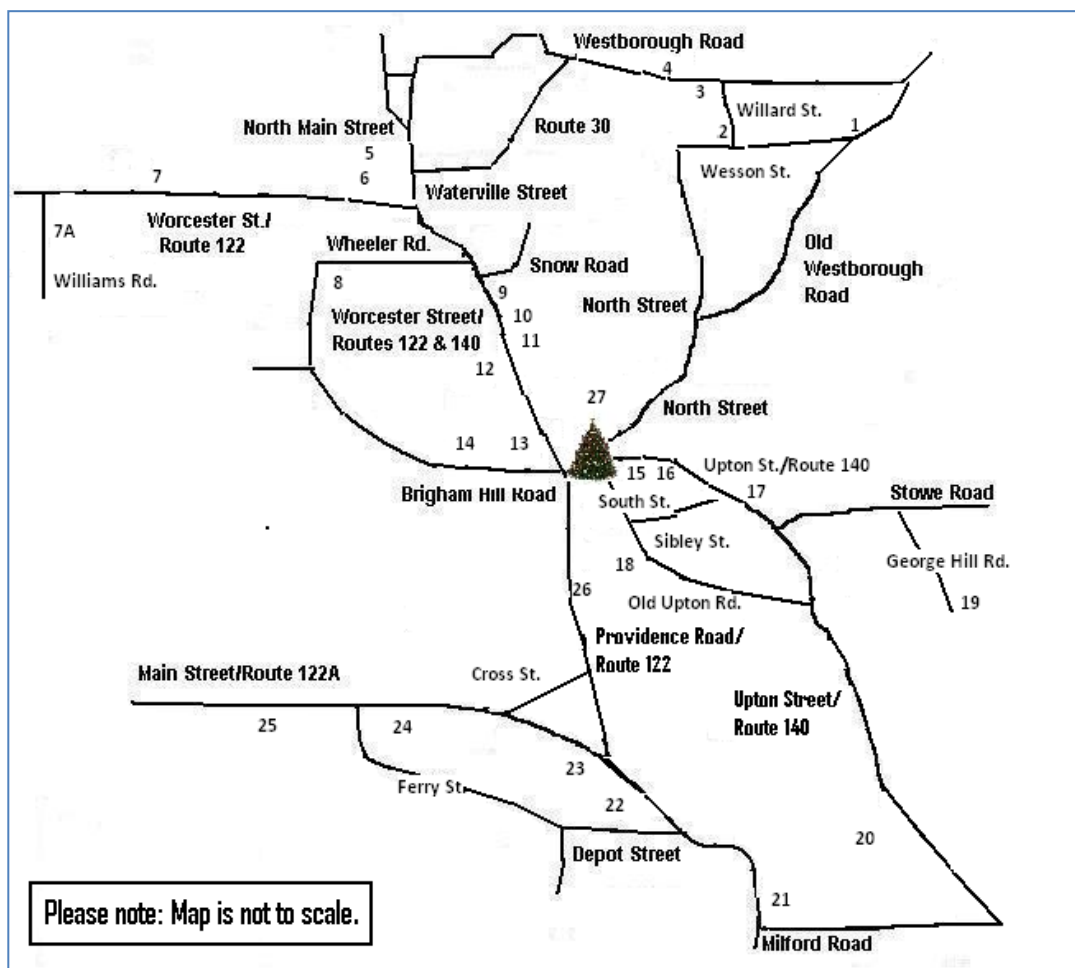
Children will enjoy making a craft from 1:00 to 3:00 at **Kids on the Common Pediatrics** Open House.

On your way to the tree lighting, warm up at the **Congregational Church** with a cup of hot soup, a hot drink and children's cookie decorating from 2:00 to 4:00; enjoy the **Holiday Concert** at 2:00 featuring the ATA Community Chorus, ATA youth singers and a children's story.

Finale Events

Enjoy hot chocolate, cider & doughnuts on the Common from 3:00 to 4:30, courtesy of **Roney Funeral Home**. Santa will arrive at the Common by Ladder Truck #1 at 4:30 for the **tree-lighting ceremony**, followed by a **sing-along** on the Band Stand led by the Grafton Girl Scouts and accompanied by the Grafton High School Band.

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